IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	4:10CR3081
VS.)	
)	PRELIMINARY ORDER
EUGENE ADAMS,)	OF FORFEITURE
)	
Defendant.)	

NOW ON THIS 3rd day of June, 2011, this matter comes on before the Court upon the United States' Motion for Issuance of Preliminary Order of Forfeiture (Filing No. 40). The Court reviews the record in this case and, being duly advised in the premises, finds as follows:

- 1. The Defendant has entered into a Plea Agreement (Filing No. 33) whereby he has agreed to plead guilty to Count II and the Forfeiture Allegation of the Indictment filed herein. Count II charged the Defendant knowingly possessed or attempted to possess one or more items which contained visual depictions of minors engaged in sexually explicit conduct, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2252(a)(4)(B). The Forfeiture Allegation sought the forfeiture, pursuant to 18 U.S.C., § 2253, of the following property on the basis it was used or was intended to be used to facilitate said violation:
 - a. One (1) Compaq Presario, model 4410US, serial number GT0120814030.
 - b. One (1) Maxtor 40Gb IDE hard drive, model 4D040H2, serial number D2402TJE.
 - c. One (1) Maxtor IDE 6Gb hard drive, model 90650U2, serial number C21QJDWC.
 - d. One (1) Western Digital, model WD2000JB, 200Gb IDE hard drive, serial number WMACK1987889.

- 2. By virtue of said guilty plea, the Defendant forfeits his interest in the above-described property, and the United States should be entitled to possession of said property, pursuant to 18 U.S.C., § 2253.
- 3. The United States' Motion for Issuance of Preliminary Order of Forfeiture should be sustained.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED as follows:

- A. The United States' Motion for Issuance of Preliminary Order of Forfeiture is hereby sustained.
- B. Based upon the Forfeiture Allegation of the Indictment and the Defendant's plea of guilty, the United States is hereby authorized to seize the following property:
 - 1. One (1) Compaq Presario, model 4410US, serial number GT0120814030.
 - 2. One (1) Maxtor 40Gb IDE hard drive, model 4D040H2, serial number D2402TJE.
 - 3. One (1) Maxtor IDE 6Gb hard drive, model 90650U2, serial number C21QJDWC.
 - 4. One (1) Western Digital, model WD2000JB, 200Gb IDE hard drive, serial number WMACK1987889.
- C. The Defendant's interest in said property is hereby forfeited to the United States for disposition in accordance with the law, subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C., § 2253.
- D. The aforementioned property is to be held by the United States in its secure custody and control.
- E. Pursuant to 18 U.S.C., § 2253, the United States forthwith shall publish for at least thirty consecutive days on an official Government internet site, www.forfeiture.gov, notice of this Order,

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Notice of Publication evidencing the United States' intent to dispose of the property in such manner

as the Attorney General may direct, and notice that any person, other than the Defendant, having or

claiming a legal interest in any of the subject property must file a Petition with the court within thirty

days of the final publication of notice or of receipt of actual notice, whichever is earlier.

F. Said published notice shall state the Petition referred to in Paragraph E, above, shall be

for a hearing to adjudicate the validity of the Petitioner's alleged interest in the property, shall be

signed by the Petitioner under penalty of perjury, and shall set forth the nature and extent of the

Petitioner's right, title or interest in the subject property and any additional facts supporting the

Petitioner's claim and the relief sought.

G. The United States may also, to the extent practicable, provide direct written notice to any

person known to have alleged an interest in the property subject to this Order as a substitute for

published notice as to those persons so notified.

H. Upon adjudication of all third-party interests, this Court will enter a Final Order of

Forfeiture pursuant to 18 U.S.C., § 2253, in which all interests will be addressed.

ORDERED this 3rd day of June, 2011.

BY THE COURT:

Richard G. Kopf

United States District Court

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